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Title: TRANSFERRIN BINDING PROTEINS OF PASTEURELLA HAEMOLYTICA
AND VACCINES CONTAINING SAME

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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The following amendments are in response to the final Office Action mailed June 12,
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1998. A Notice of Appeal was timely filed on December 14, 1998. A Continued Prosecution Application Request and a check in the amount of \$402.00 accompanies this Amendment. The fee calculation in the Continued Prosecution Application Request includes excess claim fees for the claims as amended herein. It is believed that no other fees are required for entry of this Amendment and examination of the subject application; however, should it be determined that the fees differ from the amount calculated, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or credit the difference to deposit account 02-0375.

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